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RE: FOIA Request No. - 19-00797-F

Dear: Emma Best

This is in response to your letter dated January 30, 2019, requesting information pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), 5 U.S.C. § 552. Your request was received in this office on January 31, 2019, and forwarded to the primary responsible office(s) for action.

You requested: Copies of emails, memos, letters, reports, statistics and other records mentioning or describing the 2018–19 United States federal government shutdown (2018 December 22 - 2019 January 25) on the processing of FOIA requests or handling of FOIA-related litigation, as well as on other public transparency, disclosure or declassification programs.

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Sincerely,

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